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SUBJ: EXCHANGES: AGRICULTURE - COTTON PROCESSING, LIVESTOCK  
COMPLEXES, AND AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY

REF: STATE 122797

1. COTTON PROCESSING: AGATTACHE INFORMED STATE COMMITTEE  
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY JUNE 26 WILLINGNESS USDA FAVORABLY  
CONSIDER VISIT SOVIET COTTON PROCESSING TEAM THIS FALL UNDER  
SECTION IV OF 1972-1973 EXCHANGES AGREEMENT AS QUID PRO QUO  
FOR 1 972 USDA COTTON PRODUCTION TEAM VISIT UNDER SECTION IV.  
SCST OFFICIALS OBVIOUSLY PLEASED WITH THIS DEVELOPMENT AND  
INDICATED SOVIET COTTON PROCESSING TEAM WOULD BE PREPARED VISIT  
U. S. AT APPROPRIATE TIME LATE THIS FALL.

2. LIVESTOCK COMPLESES: SCST OFFICIALS INDICATED THIS TEAM  
WOULD LIKE DEPART USSR IN APPROXIMATELY 45 DAYS. PROMISED  
INFORM AGATTACHE OF PROPOSED DEPARTURE PLANS SOONEST. ( NOTE:  
ALTHOUGH SUBJECT THIS TEAM CARRIED AS " CONSTRUCTION OF LIVE-  
STOCK COMPLEXES" IN SECTION III, PAR 6. E OF CURRENT EXCHANGES  
AGREEMENT, SCST OFFICIALS REFERRED TO IT AS " INDUSTRIAL PRO-  
DUCTION OF CATTLE." ACTUAL INTEREST APPEARS TO BE PLANNING,  
CONSTRUCTION OAND OPERATION OF MODERN, LARGE SCALE CATTLE FEED  
LOTS.)

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3. AGRICUTURAL MACHINERY: AGATTACHE REMINDED SCST OFFICIALS THAT SOVIET SIDE HAD TWICE DELAYED THIS DELEGATION. HE NOTED THAT IF SOVIETS HLPED TO SEND THIS TEAM IN CY 1973 THEY MUST GIVE AMPLE ADVANCE NOTICE TO PERMIT USDA TO DEVELOP PROGRAM. FACT THAT ALL THREE SUBJECT EXCHANGE DELEGATIONS ALMOST ENTIRELY IN PRIVATE SECTOR AND CONSEQUENT DIFFICULTY DEVELOPING AND CO-ORDINATING ADEQUATE PROGRAMS EMPHASIZED. SCST OFFICIALS PROFESSED NO KNOWLEDGE SOVIET INTENTIONS RE THIS TEAM BUT PROMISED QUERY SOYUZSELKHOZTEKHNIKA ( SOVIET ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS SUBJECT AREA) AND INFORM AGATTACHE.  
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